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SUBJECT: VISIT US BATTERY TEAM TO JAPAN

REF: 1) TOKYO 14296

2) ERDA 0066

ELL LTR OCT 9 HENOC TO FUJISAWA

1. SCIREP MET WITH ITO OCTOBER 29 AND FIRMED UP FOLLOWING
SCHEDULE FOR BATTERY TEAM VISIT TO TOKYO:
NOV 25 - A.M. - MEETING WITH ERDA SCIREP;

- MEETING WITH AIST OFFICIALS - BRIEFINGS
ON ACTIVITIES OF BOTH US AND JAPANESE
STORAGE BATTERY R&D PROGRAMS (SPECIFIC
AREAS OF SUGGESTED DISCUSSION FOLLOWS IN
SEPARATE TEL);

P.M. - CONTINUED DISCUSSIONS;

- HENOC RECEPTION.

NOV. 26 - - VISIT TOKYO MECHANICAL TECHNOLOGY
INSTITUTE (MITI'S LAB).

NOV. 27 - - HOLIDAY

P.M. - LEAVE TOKYO FOR NAGOYA BY TRAIN;

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OVERNIGHT IN NAGOYA

NOV. 28 - - VISIT TOYOTA MOTORS CO. HQ IN NAGOYA
- GENERAL INFO EXCHANGE ON ELECTRIC VEHICLES

NOV. 29 - - LEAVE NAGOYA FOR KYOTO
30 - - IN KYOTO

DEC. 1 - - VISIT JAPAN STORAGE BATTERY CO. IN KYOTO
(FIRST RESEARCH LABORATORY)

DEC. 2 - - VISIT YUASA BATTERY CENTRAL RESEARCH LAB IN
TAKATSUKI, OSAKA

DEC. 3 - - VISIT OSAKA GOVT INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH INST.

DEC. 4 - A.M. - VISIT MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC'S CENTRAL RESEARCH
LAB IN OSAKA
P.M. - VISIT SANYO ELECTRIC'S RESEARCH LAB IN OSAKA.

DEC. 5 - A.M. - LEAVE OSAKA FOR TOKYO BY TRAIN
- WEEKEND -

DEC. 8 - - MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF TOKYO, CHUBU,
& KANSAI ELECTRIC POWER COMPANIES TO EXCHANGE INFO ON ELECTRICAL
ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS AT CENTRAL ELEC. POWER COUNCIL IN TOKYO.

DEC. 9 - P.M. - VISIT TOKYO SHIBAURA ELEC. METAL CERAMICS
RESEARCH LABORATORY IN KAWASAKI, KANAGAWA PREF.

DEC. 10 - - VISIT SHIN-KOBE ELECTRIC CO., LTD. IN SAITAMA

DEC. 11 - - MEETING WITH AIST OFFICIALS.

THIS SCHEDULE HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETELY FIRMED UP; TIMES ARE
ESTIMATES. RESERVATIONS AND TICKETS WILL BE PURCHASED BY
SCIREP.

2. DISCUSSION EXPECTED TO COVER TWO MAJOR AREAS: 1) TECHNICAL
SCOPE AND STATUS JAPANESE AND US BATTERY PROGRAMS AND INTERESTS,
(2) DRAFT AGREEMENT. SPECIFICS OF EACH WILL FOLLOW IN
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